

Meeting Highlights
Granite State Clean Cities Coalition
October 5, 2012

On October 5, 2012, the Granite State Clean Cities Coalition (GSCCC) held its quarterly stakeholder meeting at the NH Department of Environmental Services.

Dolores Rebolledo, GSCCC Coordinator, greeted a group of thirty-two attendees which included fuel and infrastructure providers, fuel distributors, fleet managers and representatives from state agencies, municipalities and auto dealerships.

Bill Boyce of Cummins Westport Inc. presented on natural gas engines currently available through his company. He discussed the benefits of natural gas as a transportation fuel over diesel. Next year, Cummins Westport Inc. plans to release the ISX12G, a 12 liter engine appropriate for regional trucks and refuse hauling with CNG or LNG fueling. The group had many questions and discussion ensued.

Bob Moreau of Peterbilt then presented on the Peterbilt family of CNG/LNG and hybrid-electric vehicles. Peterbilt uses Cummins Westport engines in their natural gas vehicles and the natural gas portion of Bob's presentation complemented Bill's presentation. Peterbilt also has several options of hybrid-electric trucks suitable for medium duty bucket, delivery and refuse trucks.

After the presentations Dolores provided the group with Coalition updates.

The meeting adjourned at 11:30.